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## MEETING OF THE

# TRANSPORTATION & COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

## NOTE CHANGE IN MEETING LOCATION & TIME

**Thursday, May 4, 2006  
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

**The Westin Long Beach  
333 East Ocean Boulevard  
Downtown Long Beach  
562.436.3000**

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*“Any item listed on the agenda (action or information) may be acted upon at the discretion of the Committee”.*

1.0 CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE  
OF ALLEGIANCE

Hon.  
Harry Baldwin,  
Chair

2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Members of the public desiring to speak on an agenda item or items not on the agenda, but within the purview of this committee, must fill out a speaker's card prior to speaking and submit it to the Staff Assistant. A speaker's card must be turned in before the meeting is called to order. Comments will be limited to three minutes. The Chair may limit the total time for comments to twenty (20) minutes.

3.0 REVIEW and PRIORITIZE AGENDA ITEMS

4.0 CONSENT CALENDAR

4.1 Approval Items

- 4.1.1 Approve Minutes of April 6, 2006 Meeting 1  
**Attachment**

4.2 Receive and File

- 4.2.1 State and Federal Legislative Matrix 8  
**Attachment**

Summary of state and federal legislative bills relevant to SCAG adopted policies and priorities and related matters.



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### 4.0 CONSENT CALENDAR cont/d

#### 4.2.2 Maglev Task Force Meeting Attendance

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On April 6<sup>th</sup>, the TCC requested a staff report on the attendance level of the Maglev Task Force, as well as an understanding of its meeting cancellation policies.

### 5.0 ACTION ITEMS

#### 5.1 S.2388 – National Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2006

**Don Rhodes,  
SCAG**

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**5 minutes**

Staff will present an analysis and recommendation for S.2388, a bill to establish a National Commission on the Infrastructure of the United States.

**Recommended Action:** Support

### 6.0 INFORMATION ITEMS

#### 6.1 Maritime Goods Movement Coalition Attachment

**Robert Wyman,  
Latham & Watkins**

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**15 minutes**

An informal presentation will be given on the emission reduction strategies of the Maritime Goods Movement Coalition.

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6.0	<b><u>INFORMATION ITEMS cont/d</u></b>			
6.2	<u>Report on Triennial MPO Certification of SCAG</u> Attachment mailed separately  FTA/FHWA representative will present their findings and recommendations from the recent triennial certification of SCAG.	FTA/FHWA Representative	44	10 minutes
6.3	<u>RTAC Task Force Report</u>  Staff will present an overview of the function and status of the Regional Transportation Agencies Coalition as mandated by AB1246.	Mark Pisano, SCAG	45	5 minutes
7.0	<b><u>MAGLEV TASK FORCE REPORT</u></b>	Hon. Robin Lowe, Chair		
8.0	<b><u>GOODS MOVEMENT TASK FORCE REPORT</u></b>	Hon. Art Brown, Chair		
9.0	<b><u>CHAIR REPORT</u></b>	Hon. Harry Baldwin, Chair		
10.0	<b><u>STAFF REPORT</u></b>	Rich Macias, SCAG Staff		
11.0	<b><u>FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS</u></b> Any Committee members or staff desiring to place items on a future agenda may make such request. Comments should be limited to three minutes.			

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12.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

13.0 ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Transportation and Communications Committee will be held on June 1, 2006 at the SCAG's Annual Retreat at the Marina del Ray Marriott..

